

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(Attorney Docket No. 005471.00016)**

In re Reissue Application of U.S. Patent )  
of John Kirchgeorg, et al. )  
Patent No. 6,327,497 )  
Issued: December 4, 2001 ) Examiner: Unassigned  
For: Portable Emergency Oxygen and ) Art Unit: Unassigned  
Automatic External Defibrillator )  
(AED) Therapy System )

**STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.173(c)**

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Applicant makes the following statements pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.173(c) for the reissue continuation application of the above-identified patent:

1. The status of the claims as a result of the amendment submitted herewith is as follows:

Claims cancelled:	claims 1-10 of the original patent are cancelled for this reissue continuation application; claims 1-10 of the original patent remain in Reissue Application No. 10/457,958.
Claims amended:	none.
Claims added:	11-22.

2. Support for changes to the claims is as follows:

The new claims are not unnecessarily narrowed by including a defibrillation system. The new claims involve devices that do not include a defibrillation system. Support for the new claims can be found throughout the specification, for example, at column 1, lines 28 – 36; column 3, lines 13 – 24 and 30 – 44; column 4, lines 26 – 28; column 4, line 57 through column 5, line 17; and Figures 1 – 3.

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